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## **OLD NORTHSIDE CABOOSE TO BE RESTORED TO ORIGINAL BEAUTY CRANE WILL REMOVE RAILCAR FROM PARK PROPERTY ON THURSDAY**

INDIANAPOLIS – (Oct. 7, 2009) Thanks to a fundraising campaign led by the Old Northside Foundation through the Indianapolis Parks Foundation and Indy Parks & Recreation, the Old Northside Caboose at Frank & Judy O'Bannon Soccer Field, 520 E. 12<sup>th</sup> St., will be restored to its original condition. Crews will temporarily remove the 84-year-old caboose by crane at 9 a.m. this Thursday, Oct. 8, for the off-site restoration by Consulting Management Inspection Design, Inc.

Members of the Old Northside Foundation raised \$65,878 to renovate the caboose and improve the aesthetic appeal of its presence along the Monon Trail on this parkspace. Future plans for the caboose's return to the park property include an informational kiosk and historical landmark along the Monon Trail.

**WHAT:** Removal of the Old Northside Caboose by crane at Frank & Judy O'Bannon Soccer Field

**WHEN:** 9 a.m. Thursday, Oct. 8, 2009

**WHERE:** Frank & Judy O'Bannon Soccer Field, 520 E. 12<sup>th</sup> St.

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PLAY INDY!**

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